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The Honorable John R. Kasich  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Kasich:

I enjoyed talking with you on 30 January 1986 and I have reviewed your bill, H.R. 3915, which would regulate the travel in the United States of citizens from the Soviet Union and eastern bloc countries. Specifically, H.R. 3915 would impose the same restrictions on Soviet and eastern bloc citizens travelling in the United States as are imposed on United States citizens travelling in the Soviet Union.

Since the Central Intelligence Agency exercises no jurisdiction over foreign citizens travelling in the United States, we defer to the State, Justice, and Commerce Departments in matters such as this.

Sincerely,

/s/ William J. Casey

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William J. Casey  
Director of Central Intelligence

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